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Chapter 29

CASE.29 THE HOPE TO EXIST

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HOW MUCH BETTER WOULD IT BE WITHOUT HIM!!
THAT MAN...
CRAM SCHOOL? HOME TUTOR? WHATEVER IT IS I'LL ALLOW IT
SOCCER CLUB? LET HIM GO IF THAT'S WHAT HE WANTS TO DO
DO AS YOU SEE FIT FOR ASUKA'S ACTIVITIES

HMM? SOCCER?
DAD!! I'M CHOSEN FOR THE NEXT SOCCER MATCH!!
YOU JOINED THE SOCCER CLUB?
WHAT IS IT ASUKA?
DOES MY EXISTENCE EVEN MATTER?
WHA...?
WHAT AM I TO YOU?

BAM
A PERSON LIKE YOU
IF THAT'S THE CASE, I DON'T NEED IT!!
SHOULD JUST DIE!!
IT'S OKAY
I'M SORRY ASUKA

HEY!!
slam
glance
I'LL GET FIRED!
WHERE ARE YOU GUYS TAKING ME?!
!!?
IT WOULD BE GREAT IF GETTING FIRED COULD SOLVE THE PROBLEM AT HAND

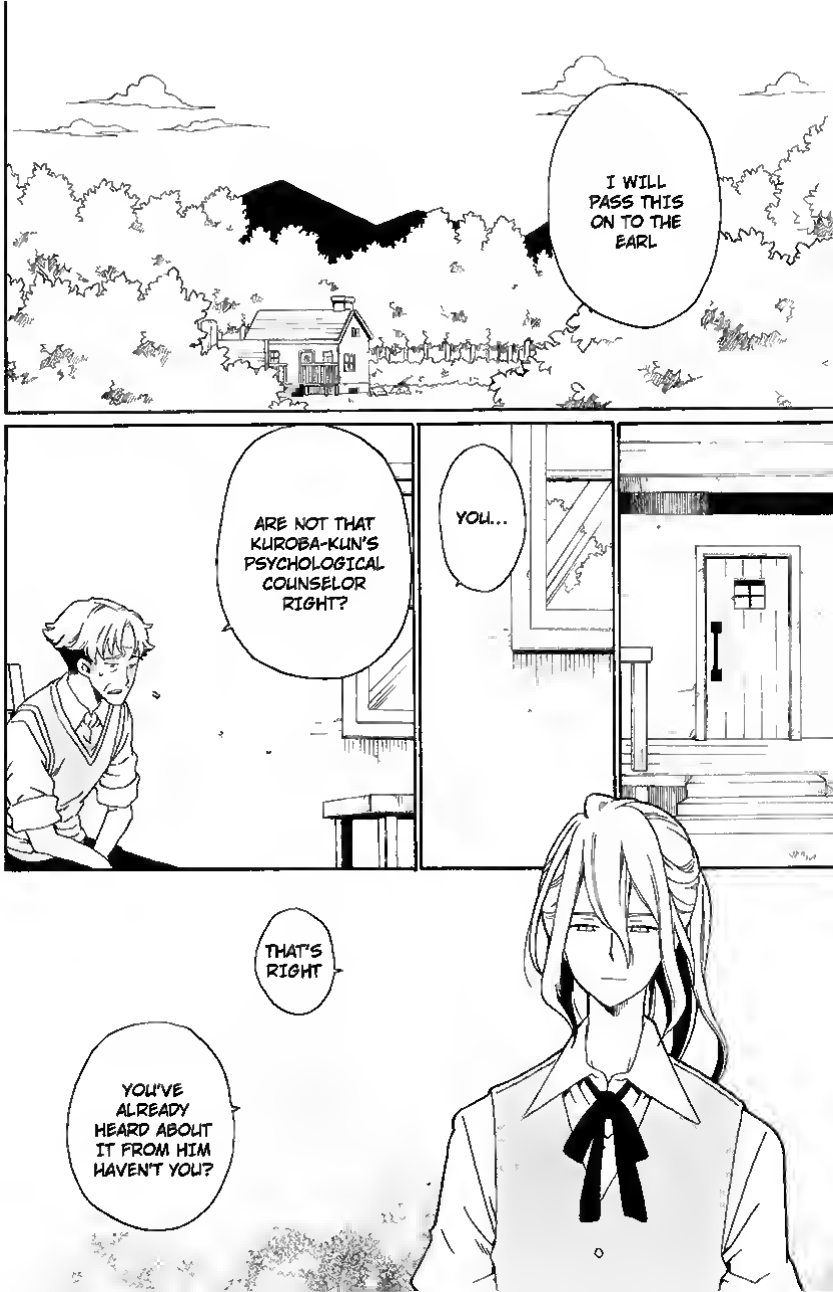
RIIING
BEEP
MR KUROBA WILL NOT COME NO MATTER HOW LONG I WAIT
IS THE EARL NOT DONE YET?
HE TOOK HIS TIME THIS TIME AROUND
RATTLE
DANGLE
YES
IT'S NOT THE EARL... RIGHT?
WHO IS IT?
MISS
YOU HAVE A PHONE CALL

I'VE FINALLY REACHED YOU!!
!!
MR. KUROBA?
TURN
IT'S NOT MY DUTY TO ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS
WHERE ARE YOU RIGHT NOW?!
WHAT ABOUT THE EARL?!

IF YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF A DETECTIVE, THEN RELY ON YOURSELF TO FIGURE IT OUT....
ARE YOU AT THE WOODER HOUSE WHERE THE PROFESSOR USED TO STAY AT?
EVEN SO, IT'S TOO LATE.
BY THE TIME YOU ARRIVE–
IF THAT'S THE CASE THEN YOU HAVE TO STOP HIM!!
.....
LOOKS LIKE I'M RIGHT
U
YOU ALREADY KNEW THIS?
PRO-CESS OF ELIMI-RATION
ISR'T IT IMPOSSIRLE FOR THE EARL TO OO SOMETHING AS UNFAIR AS KILLIRO THE PROFESSOR SOMEWHERE I CAR'T FIRD?

!!?
THE PROFESSOR MAY BE FALSELY ACCUSED!!
JUDGE-MENT ER-ROR?!
DID THE EARL MAKE A MISTAKE?!
FALSE-LY AC-CUSED?!
HOW COULD THIS BE!!
WHAT ABOUT THE EVI-DENCE...
DO YOU HAVE ANY EVIDENCE THAT IT IS A FALSE ACCUSA-TION?!
NO, WAIT!! THIS MUST BE A TRICK OF HIS TO MAKE US HESITATE
ga
SP

SEE!! IT'S JUST HIS NONSENSE..
NOT YET
MURDERING AN INNOCENT
!!
YOU DON'T MIND IF THAT HAPPENS?!
BUT IF YOU DON'T STOP HIM THEN EARL WILL BE MURDERING AN INNOCENT!
I UNDER-STAND
AT LEAST HELP ME GAIN SOME TIME!!
I'M FINDING EVIDENCE RIGHT NOW!!


I WILL PASS THIS ON TO THE EARL
ARE NOT THAT KUROBA-KUN'S PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELOR RIGHT?
YOU...
THAT'S RIGHT
YOU'VE ALREADY HEARD ABOUT IT FROM HIM HAVEN'T YOU?

ABOUT ME SANCTIONING THE SUSPECT
I'M ALREADY TIRED...
DESPIRITED.
EVERYTHING WILL END WHEN I DISAPPEAR RIGHT
YOU KNEW ALL THIS BUT STILL DARED TO FOLLOW ME HERE?
OH...
SO YOU WERE AWARE?

I KNEW THAT I DID SOMETHING UNFORGIVABLE TO KUROBA-KUN... AND TOBARI-KUN
OF COURSE TO YOU-KUN TOO
HM? ARE YOU BEING REGRETFUL NOW?
FEELING SOME REMORSE FOR WHAT YOU'VE DONE?
...NO

IF I COULD DO IT AGAIN I WOULD'VE STILL DONE WHAT I DID
rummage
...IS THAT SO
WHAT A PITY
FLINCH...
Lift
!!
IT SEEMS I WAS RIGHT TO HOLD ON TO YOU

EARL!!!
HUFF
HUFF
I'M GLAD... I MADE IT IN TIME.
RUI-KUN!
DID SOME-THING HAPPEN?
DIDN'T I SAY TO NOT COME HERE?

whisper
IT'S SOMETHING REALLY MEANT FOR YOUR EARS ONLY...
glance
WELL...
shut
PRO-FESSOR, EXCUSE ME FOR A BIT
THEN LET'S TALK OUT-SIDE

KUROBA-KUN SAID THAT?
YES
FALSE ACCUSATION?
HE SAID HE'S COMING RIGHT NOW TO CHECK THIS
I DON'T THINK THERE'S OTHER EVIDENCE YET
OR IS THERE OTHER EVIDENCE...
WAS IT A FEINT?

……!!
WHY DIDN'T KUROBA-KUN COME HERE AND TELL ME STRAIGHT AWAY?
CRACKLE
flinch
!!
I'LL TRUST HIS WORDS
BUT...
I'LL GO AND WAIT FOR MR KUROBA...
CREAK...
……
WHO... WHO KNOWS? MAYBE THE INVESTIGATION HAD SOME UNEXPECTED DIFFICULTIES?

!!?
DON'T MOVE !!!
PRO-FES-SOR!!
MUA HA HA HA HA HA!!
HA HA
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO?
EH...

HOW... HOW COULD A PERSON LIKE ME?!
WILLINGLY DIE AT A PLACE LIKE THIS!!
I WON'T OBEDIENTLY LET YOU KILL ME!!
AHHH!!
DASH
RUI-KUN!!
PROFFESOR!! PLEASE STOP
click
RUSTLE
EARL!!
DON'T FOLLOW ME!!
tsk
THIS IS BAD...

DASH
FALSELY ACCUSED .... HUH
RUN
RUN
RUN
RUSTLE
RUSTLE

IT'S USELESS FOR YOU TO TRY TO ESCAPE
!!
MY BODYGUARD IS AT THE FOREST ENTRANCE
JUST GIVE UP
.....
RUN RUN RUN
SHUT UP AND FOLLOW ME!!
PULL
STEP STEP
!!!

YOU-KUN...!!!
PRO-FESSOR KOKON?!
WHAT'S HAPPENING RIGHT NOW...?!

KU-ROBA-KUN
YOU'RE LATE
RUN
ASUKA?!
DAD?! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
RUN RUN RUN
BUT I WAS RUSHING ALL THE WAY HERE
?
WHY ARE YOU HERE?!

PLEASE STOP STRUGGLING, PROFESSOR
OR DO YOU WANT YOUR FAMILY TO SEE YOUR EMBARRASSING LAST MOMENTS?
.....
EARL, PLEASE WAIT FOR A MOMENT
I STILL HAVE SOMETHING FOR THE PROFESSOR TO CONFIRM
WHAT IS IT?
serious

PRO-
FES-
SOR
WAS IT
REALLY YOU
WHO MURDERED
MY FATHER?

OF COURSE... IT WAS ME
WHAT NONSENSE ARE YOU STILL SAYING? ISN'T THAT CLEAR
WASN'T HE IN PRISON BECAUSE HE'S A MURDERER?!
MR ASUKA
MY FATHER'S CAUSE OF DEATH WAS "CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING"
THEY SAID HE BREATHED THE THICK SMOKE FROM THE FIRE
BUT WHAT IF THE CAUSE WAS "BRIQUETTES" ...?
EH...
BRIQUETTES ARE...

WAS IT REALLY JUST A COINCIDENCE?
THAT DAY WHEN YOU WANTED TO KILL THE PROFESSOR AND MAKE IT SEEM LIKE A SUICIDE
MY FATHER DIED
EH...
ALTHOUGH YOU THOUGHT YOU FAILED...
IF YOU PUT IT THAT WAY DOESN'T IT MEAN THAT..
WAIT A SECOND
MAYBE THAT PERSON WHO REALLY MURDERED MY FATHER IS~
SH-

SHUT UP!
HUFF
HUFF
DON'T SAY IT...

THAT DAY--
DAD...?
ZZZZ...
DAD!! HEAR ME OUT FOR A MOMENT!!
RIIING...
THE SON THAT I RARELY SAW CALLED ME
GRAB
!!
AFTER THE CALL ENDED, I WENT BACK TO THE CAR-- -
SLAM..
WHAT IS IT?
TO REDUCE THE GUILT OF BEING UNABLE TO PROPERLY TAKE CARE OF HIM, I DECIDED TO LISTEN TO HIM FOR A WHILE

HE WAS ALREADY DEAD
KU-ROBA-KUN!!
GASP
WHOOSH
THAT WAS WHEN I KNEW
THAT MY SON HAD SUCH A STRONG INTENTION TO KILL ME!!
I WAS SO STUNNED...

BECAUSE OF THIS, KURUBA-KUN, WHO HAD NOTHING TO DO WTIH THIS, LOST HIS LIFE
HE HATED ME TO THIS POINT
IF...
HE WOULD SURELY SUFFER FROM A PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAUMA THAT WILL NEVER DISAPPEAR
MY SON KNEW THE CONSE-QUENCES...!!

HIS CHILDHOOD AND DREAMS WILL BE TAKEN AWAY BY BEING LABELLED A MURDERER
THE WORST CASE SCENARIO
SUICIDE TOO-- ?!
AFTER ALL IT'S ALL MY FAULT!!
NO!!
THAT I CAN DISGUISE THIS AS AN ACCI-DENT OR A SUICIDE CASE?!
IS THERE ANY WAY..

I'M SORRY
KURODA KUN
I'M SORRY
DRAG
DRAG
THE LEAST I CAN DO IS ACT AS IF I MURDERED HIM...
My son...
I CAN PROTECT ASUKA THIS WAY!!
I NEVER DID ANY-THING THAT A FATHER SHOULD HAVE DONE
THIS IS THE LEAST THAT I CAN DO!!

ME...
saa
aa...
drip...
IT'S ...
BECAUSE OF ME...
IT'S NOT!!
ASU-KA!!!

THIS IS THE TRUTH!!
I AM THE MUR-DERER!!
HUFF
HUFF

FALSE ACCU-SATION
ON YOUR-SELF ...?!
Sigh...
PROFESSOR... SO YOU DID IT TO COVER UP FOR MR ASUKA..
NO...
shake
shake
THAT'S NOT IT!!

I DID THAT SO I COULD MOVE FORWARD!!
THIS WAS ALL FOR MY SAKE!!
click
No way
I...
I...
gasp
TELLING LIES NOW DOES NOT HELP
PRO-FES-SOR!!
ASUKA...

PROFES-
SOR
IT'S TIME... TO END IT, DON'T YOU THINK?
ASUKA... YOU ARE NOT AT WRONG...
THE ONE AT WRONG IS ME, A FATHER WHO DOES NOT TAKE HIS OWN FAMILY SERIOUSLY!!
DAD...
shake
shake
shake
END...
...IT ...
fall

click
!!!!
FOR BEING AN IRRESPONSIBLE FATHER TO YOU, I'M REALLY SORRY
ASUKA...

NO!!
BANG
THAT GUN IS...

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